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Examiner: Miranda Le

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Group Art Unit: 2167

Title: SEGMENTING INFORMATION RECORDS WITH MISSING VALUES USING MULTIPLE
 PARTITION TREES

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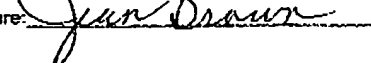
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 9, 2005

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the final Office action of March 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The Pending Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. In this Response, no amendments have been made to the claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.